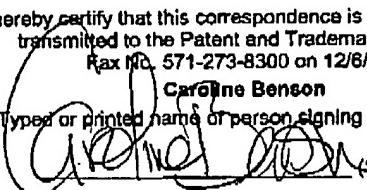
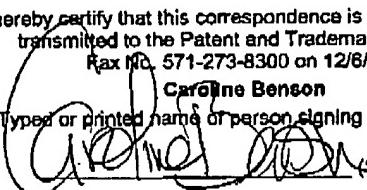


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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Answer of October 6, 2005, Applicant hereby requests the pending appeal of the above-identified application to be withdrawn and prosecution to be reopened with the application amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.